

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**Docket No.
57217 (72012)Application No.
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Applicant(s): Kensaku Kagechi et al.

Invention: IMAGE ENCODING DEVICE

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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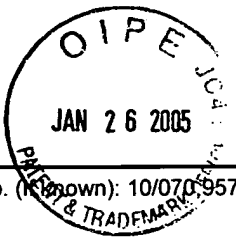
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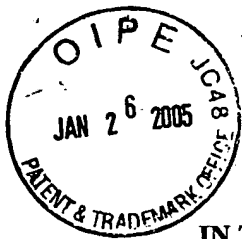
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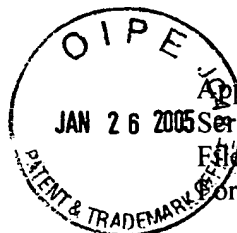


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AMENDMENT

In response to the currently outstanding non-final Official Action in the above-identified case, kindly amend the subject application as follows:

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